GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:257
ANSWERED ON:02.03.2005
MAINTENANCE OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS
Sharma Shri Madan Lal

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Union Government is responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways in the country;

(b) if so, whether the Government has provided any assistance for development and maintenance of National Highways in Jammu and Kashmir during the last three years;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Following expenditures have been incurred by Government of India during the last three years for development and maintenance of National Highways in Jammu & Kashmir.

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in crores)
2001-02	63.70
2002-03	56.82
2003-04	73.48

(d) Does not arise.